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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
ROBERT D'AMATO)
Serial No. 08/468,792)
Filed: June 6, 1995)
For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR)
INHIBITION OF ANGIOGENESIS)

Examiner: **Dahlen, G.**
Art Unit: **1203**

RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 16, 1996, a response to which is due February 18, 1997, by virtue of 37 C.F.R. § 1.7 (Expiration on Saturday, Sunday or Federal holiday), and by virtue of the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee for a one month extension of time, Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the application as follows and reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following remarks.

In the Claims

Please cancel Claims 26, 28, 29, 33 and 34.

Please cancel Claims 27, and 30-32 as being directed to a non-elected group.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on February 18, 1997.

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